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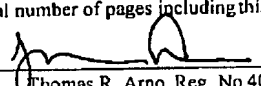
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Dear Ms. Oda:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application in response to the October 30, 2007  
decision are:

- (X) Preliminary Amendment in 6 pages (New Claims 16-31 are identical to the allowed claims of the corresponding Japanese application except for multiple dependency).
- (X) A copy of the Statement that the previously submitted English Translation of the patentable claims of the Japanese Patent Application 2004-335417 is accurate.
- (X) A copy of the Statement that the previously submitted English Translation of the Japanese Office Action is accurate.

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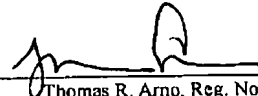
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.